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~~45.~~ The method of claim ⁴⁵~~44~~ further comprising the step of:
transforming a set of the delivered random numbers into random values having non-uniform distribution in response to a non-uniform distribution request,
transforming a set of the delivered random numbers into at least one combinational subset in response to a combinational request.

REMARKS

In the restriction requirement for the parent application S.N. 08/358,242, the Group IV claims of 26 and 27 were restricted out. The Office Action stated:

Claims 26 and 27, drawn to the method for generating random numbers, classified in class 364, subclass 717.

The Title has been amended to be descriptive of the claimed invention as set forth above. Claims 26 and 27 have been amended to provide proper antecedent basis. In addition, new claims 29 through 45 have been provided to more positively recite the present invention.

Should you have any questions regarding the above Preliminary Amendment, please feel free to give the below-listed attorney a call. If additional fees are required, please debit our Deposit Account No. 04-1414.

Respectfully submitted,

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